

# GENERAL HÖRMANDER AND MIKHLIN CONDITIONS FOR MULTIPLIERS OF BESOV SPACES

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**ABSTRACT.** Here a new condition for the geometry of Banach spaces is introduced and the operator-valued Fourier multiplier theorems in weighted Besov spaces are obtained. Particularly, connections between the geometry of Banach spaces and Hörmander-Mikhlin conditions are established. As an application of main results the regularity properties of degenerate elliptic differential operator equations are investigated.

## 1. INTRODUCTION, NOTATIONS AND BACKGROUND

In recent years, Fourier multiplier theorems in vector-valued function spaces have found many applications in the theory of differential operator equations, especially in maximal regularity of parabolic and elliptic differential-operator equations and embedding theorems of abstract function spaces. Operator-valued multiplier theorems in Banach-valued function spaces have been discussed extensively in [3, 8, 12, 15, 17 and 19]. Boundary value problems (BVPs) for differential-operator equations (DOEs) in  $H$ -valued (Hilbert valued space) function spaces have been studied in [1, 2, 6, 7, 9, 13, 14], and the references therein.

$D(\Omega; E)$  will denote the collection of infinitely differentiable  $E$ -valued functions with compact support on  $\Omega$ . Moreover, we denote a bounded and uniformly continuous function spaces with traditional notation  $BUC^\theta$  where

$$\|f\|_{BUC^\theta(\Omega; E)} = \sup_{s \in \Omega} \|f(s)\| + \sup_{\substack{t, s \in \Omega \\ s < t}} \frac{\|f(t) - f(s)\|_E}{|t - s|^\theta} \text{ for } 0 < \theta < 1$$

and

$$\|f\|_{BUC^{m+\theta}(\Omega; E)} = \sup_{s \in \Omega} \sum_{k=0}^m \|f^{(k)}(s)\|_E + \sup_{\substack{t, s \in \Omega \\ s < t}} \frac{\|f^{(m)}(t) - f^{(m)}(s)\|_E}{|t - s|^\theta}.$$

Let  $S(R^n; E)$  denote the Schwartz class, i.e., a space of  $E$ -valued rapidly decreasing smooth functions on  $R^n$ .  $S^\dagger(R^n; E)$  denotes the space of continuous linear operators  $L : S \rightarrow E$  equipped with the bounded convergence topology sometimes called  $E$ -valued tempered distributions. Let  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$ , where  $\alpha_i$  are integers. An  $E$ -valued generalized function  $D^\alpha f$  is called a generalized derivative in the sense of Schwartz distributions, if the equality

$$\langle D^\alpha f, \varphi \rangle = (-1)^{|\alpha|} \langle f, D^\alpha \varphi \rangle$$

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holds for all  $\varphi \in S$ . It is known that

$$F(D_x^\alpha f) = (i\xi_1)^{\alpha_1} \cdots (i\xi_n)^{\alpha_n} \hat{f}, \quad D_\xi^\alpha(F(f)) = F[(-ix_n)^{\alpha_1} \cdots (-ix_n)^{\alpha_n} f]$$

for all  $f \in S^\dagger(R^n; E)$ .

Let  $\mathbf{C}$  be the set of complex numbers and

$$S_\varphi = \{\lambda; \lambda \in \mathbf{C}, |\arg \lambda| \leq \varphi\} \cup \{0\}, \quad 0 \leq \varphi < \pi.$$

A linear operator  $A$  is said to be a  $\varphi$ -positive in a Banach space  $E$ , if  $D(A)$  is dense in  $E$ , and

$$\|(A + \lambda I)^{-1}\|_{B(E)} \leq M(1 + |\lambda|)^{-1}$$

with  $M > 0$ ,  $\lambda \in S_\varphi$ ,  $\varphi \in [0, \pi)$ ; here  $I$  is the identity operator in  $E$ ,  $B(E)$  is the space of all bounded linear operators in  $E$ . Sometimes instead of  $A + \lambda I$ , we will write  $A + \lambda$  and denote it by  $A_\lambda$ .

Let  $E$  be a Banach space and  $\gamma = \gamma(x)$ ,  $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \Omega \subset R^n$ .  $L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)$  denotes the space of all strongly measurable  $E$ -valued functions that are defined on the measurable subset  $\Omega \subset R^n$  with the norm

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)} &= \left( \int \|f(x)\|_E^p \gamma(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad 1 \leq p < \infty, \\ \|f\|_{L_{\infty,\gamma}(\Omega; E)} &= \text{ess sup}_{x \in \Omega} [\|f(x)\|_E \gamma(x)]. \end{aligned}$$

For  $\gamma(x) \equiv 1$ , we denote  $L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)$  by  $L_p(\Omega; E)$ . Note that dual of the space  $L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)$  is given by  $L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(\Omega; E')$  where  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{p'} = 1$  and  $\gamma^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{\gamma(x)}$ .

We shall use Fourier analytic definition of weighted Besov spaces in this study. Therefore, we need to consider some subsets  $\{J_k\}_{k=0}^\infty$  and  $\{I_k\}_{k=0}^\infty$  of  $R^N$ , where

$$J_0 = \{t \in R^N : |t| \leq 1\}, \quad J_k = \{t \in R^N : 2^{k-1} \leq |t| \leq 2^k\} \text{ for } k \in N$$

and

$$I_0 = \{t \in R^N : |t| \leq 2\}, \quad I_k = \{t \in R^N : 2^{k-1} \leq |t| \leq 2^{k+1}\} \text{ for } k \in N.$$

Next, we define the unity  $\{\varphi_k\}_{k \in N_0}$  of functions from  $S(R^N, R)$ . Let  $\psi \in S(R, R)$  be nonnegative function with support in  $[2^{-1}, 2]$ , which satisfies

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \psi(2^{-k}s) = 1 \text{ for } s \in R \setminus \{0\}$$

and

$$\varphi_k(t) = \psi(2^{-k}|t|), \quad \varphi_0(t) = 1 - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \varphi_k(t) \text{ for } t \in R^N.$$

Later, we will need the following useful properties:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{supp } \varphi_k &\subset \bar{I}_k \text{ for each } k \in N_0, \\ \varphi_k &\equiv 0 \text{ for each } k < 0, \\ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \varphi_k(s) &\text{ for each } s \in R^N, \\ J_m \cap \text{supp } \varphi_k &= \emptyset \text{ if } |m - k| > 1, \\ \varphi_{k-1}(s) + \varphi_k(s) + \varphi_{k+1}(s) &= 1 \text{ for each } s \in \text{supp } \varphi_k, \quad k \in N_0. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $1 \leq q \leq r \leq \infty$  and  $s \in \mathbf{R}$ . The weighted Besov space is the set of all functions  $f \in S'(R^N, X)$  for which

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N, X)} : &= \|2^{ks} \{(\check{\varphi}_k * f)\}_{k=0}^\infty\|_{l_r(L_{q,w_q}(R^N, X))} \\ &\equiv \begin{cases} \left[ \sum_{k=0}^\infty 2^{ksr} \|\check{\varphi}_k * f\|_{L_{q,\gamma}(R^N, X)}^r \right]^{\frac{1}{r}} & \text{if } r \neq \infty \\ \sup_{k \in N_0} [2^{ks} \|\check{\varphi}_k * f\|_{L_{q,\gamma}(R^N, X)}] & \text{if } r = \infty \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

is finite; here  $q$  and  $s$  are main and smoothness indexes respectively. It is well known that Besov spaces has significant embedding properties. Thus we close section with stating some of them:

$$W_q^{l+1}(X) \hookrightarrow B_{q,r}^s(X) \hookrightarrow W_q^l(X) \hookrightarrow L_q(X) \text{ where } l < s < l+1,$$

$$B_{\infty,1}^s(X) \hookrightarrow BUC^s(X) \hookrightarrow B_{\infty,\infty}^s(X) \text{ for } s \in \mathbf{Z},$$

and

$$B_{p,1}^{\frac{N}{p}}(R^N, X) \hookrightarrow L_\infty(R^N, X) \text{ for } s \in \mathbf{Z}.$$

For more detailed information see [2] and [3]. Let  $E$  and  $E_0$  be Banach spaces so that  $E_0$  is continuously and densely embedded in  $E$ . We define Besov-Lions spaces as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} B_{p,q}^{[l],s}(R; E_0, E) &= \left\{ u : u \in B_{p,q}^s(R; E_0), D^{[l]}u \in B_{p,q}^s(R; E) \right\}, \\ \|u\|_{B_{p,q}^{[l],s}(R; E_0, E)} &= \|u\|_{B_{p,q}^s(R; E_0)} + \|D^{[l]}u\|_{B_{p,q}^s(R; E)} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

We will use this function spaces in embedding theorems and in the study of degenerate elliptic equations.

## 2. FOURIER MULTIPLIERS

In this section, we shall extend the work of Girardi and Weis [10] which includes many classical multiplier conditions such as Mihlin and Hörmander. This section is organized in a similar format as [10]. Some new definitions and lemmas will be introduced. In this section  $X$  and  $Y$  are Banach spaces over the field  $C$  and  $X^*$  is the dual space of  $X$ . The space  $B(X, Y)$  of bounded linear operators from  $X$  to  $Y$  is endowed with the usual uniform operator topology.  $N_0$  is the set of natural numbers containing zero.

It is well known that Fourier transform  $F : S(X) \rightarrow S(X)$  is defined by

$$(Ff)(t) \equiv \hat{f}(t) = \int_{R^N} \exp(-its) f(s) ds$$

is an isomorphism whose inverse is given by

$$(F^{-1}f)(t) \equiv \check{f}(t) = (2\pi)^{-N} \int_{R^N} \exp(its) f(s) ds,$$

where  $f \in S(X)$  and  $t \in R^N$ .

All the basic properties of  $F$  and  $F^{-1}$  that hold in the scalar-valued case also hold in vector-valued case; however, the Housdorff-Young inequality need not hold.

Therefore, we need to define similar class of Banach spaces that was introduced by Peetre [11].

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space and  $1 \leq p \leq 2$ . We say  $X$  has Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p$  if

$$\|Ff\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(R^N,X)} \leq C\|f\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(R^N,X)} \text{ for each } f \in S(R^N,X),$$

where  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{p'} = 1$ ,  $F_{p,N}(X)$  is the smallest  $C \in [0, \infty]$  and  $X$  has Fourier type  $p$  if  $\gamma = 1$ .

**Proposition 2.2.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space with Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$  and  $p \leq q \leq p'$ . Then  $X^*$  and  $L_{q,\gamma}(R^N, X)$  also have Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p$  provided both are with the same constant  $F_{p,N}(X)$ .

**Proof.** It follows directly from the proof of [10, Proposition 2.3], and Fourier  $\gamma$ -type property of  $X$ . ■

**Proposition 2.3.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space with Fourier type  $p \in [1, 2]$ . If  $\gamma^{-1} \in L_\infty(R^N)$  then  $X$  has a Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p$ .

Since  $\gamma^{-1} \in L_\infty(R^N)$  then there exist  $C > 0$  such that  $1 \leq C\gamma(t)$  a.e. Hence we get

$$\|\hat{f}\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(R^N,X)} \leq C \left[ \int_{R^N} \|\hat{f}(t)\|_X^{p'} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{p'}} \leq C^2 \|f\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(R^N,X)}. \quad \blacksquare$$

It is also possible to show that if  $\gamma^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \in L_2$  or  $\gamma^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \in L_1$  and  $F^{-1}(\gamma^{1-\frac{1}{p}}) \in L_1$  then Proposition 2.3 is still valid.

**Proposition 2.4.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space, and  $1 \leq p < q$ . If

$$\int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{(\tilde{\gamma}(t))^q}{(\gamma(t))^p} \right]^{\frac{1}{q-p}} dt < \infty \quad (1)$$

then  $L_{q,\gamma}(\Omega, X) \hookrightarrow L_{p,\tilde{\gamma}}(\Omega, X)$ .

**Proof.** We recall that embedding theorem for  $L_p$  spaces is applicable only in bounded domains; however, in weighted case embedding works even in  $R^N$  by imposing some conditions on weight. Suppose  $f \in L_{q,\gamma}(\Omega, X)$ . Then applying generalized Hölder inequality and (1), we complete the proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\|_{L_{p,\tilde{\gamma}}(\Omega,X)} &= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \|f(t)\|_X^p (\tilde{\gamma}(t))^{\frac{p}{p'}} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\leq \|f\|_{L_{q,\gamma}(\Omega,X)} \left( \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{(\tilde{\gamma}(t))^q}{(\gamma(t))^p} \right]^{\frac{1}{q-p}} dt \right)^{\frac{q-p}{pq}} \leq C \|f\|_{L_{q,\gamma}(\Omega,X)}. \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

The following Fourier embedding theorem plays a key role in the proof of multiplier theorem.

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space with the Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$ . Let  $1 \leq q < p'$ ,  $1 \leq r \leq \infty$  and  $s \geq \frac{N}{u}$  where  $\frac{1}{u} = \left( \frac{1}{q} - \frac{1}{p'} \right)$ . Assume for each bounded

domain  $\Omega \subset R^N$

$$\int_{\Omega} \left[ (\gamma(t))^q (\tilde{\gamma}(t))^{p'} \right]^{\frac{1}{p'-q}} dt < \infty. \quad (2)$$

Then there exists a constant  $C$  depending only on  $F_{p,N}(X)$ , so that if  $f \in B_{p,r,\gamma}^s(R^N, X)$ ,

$$\left\| \left\{ \hat{f} \cdot \chi_{J_m} \right\}_{k=0}^{\infty} \right\|_{l_r(L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X))} \leq C \|f\|_{B_{p,r,\gamma}^s(R^N, X)}.$$

Note that Theorem 2.5 remains valid if Fourier transform is replaced by the inverse Fourier transform.

**Proof.** Let  $f$  be in  $B_{p,r,\gamma}^s(R^N, X)$ . Then for all  $k \in N_0$ , since  $\check{\varphi}_k * f \in L_{p,\gamma}(R^N, X)$  and  $X$  has Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p$ ,  $\varphi_k \cdot \hat{f} \in L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(R^N, X)$ . By using Proposition 2.4 and (2), we have

$$\hat{f} \cdot \chi_{J_m} = \left( \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} \varphi_k \hat{f} \right) \chi_{J_m} \in L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X).$$

If there exists a constant  $C_1$  so that

$$\|\hat{f} \cdot \chi_{J_m}\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)} \leq C_1 \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} 2^{ks} \|\hat{f} \cdot \varphi_k\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(R^N, X)} \quad (3)$$

for each  $m \in N_0$  then

$$\begin{aligned} \|\hat{f} \cdot \chi_{J_m}\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)} &\leq C_1 \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} 2^{ks} \|F(\check{\varphi}_k * f)\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(R^N, X)} \\ &\leq C_1 F_{p,N}(X) \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} 2^{ks} \|\check{\varphi}_k * f\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(R^N, X)} \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\left\| \left\{ \hat{f} \cdot \chi_{J_m} \right\}_{m=0}^{\infty} \right\|_{l_r(L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X))} \leq C F_{p,N}(X) \|f\|_{B_{p,r,\gamma}^s}.$$

It remains to show that (3) holds for some constant  $C_1$ . Taking into consideration (2) and applying generalized Hölder's inequality for each  $m \in N_0$ , we complete the

proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\hat{f} \cdot \chi_{J_m}\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(X)} &\leq \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} \left\| \hat{f} \cdot \varphi_k \cdot \chi_{J_m} \right\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(X)} \\
&\leq \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} \left\| \hat{f} \varphi_k \left[ \frac{1+|\cdot|}{4} \right]^{\frac{N}{u}} \chi_{J_m} \right\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(X)} \\
&\times \left\| \left[ \frac{1+|\cdot|}{4} \right]^{\frac{-N}{u}} \chi_{J_m}(\gamma(\cdot))^{\frac{1}{p'}} (\tilde{\gamma}(\cdot))^{\frac{1}{q}} \right\|_{L_u(R)} \\
&\leq \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} \left\| \left[ \frac{1+|\cdot|}{4} \right]^{\frac{N}{u}} \chi_{J_m} \right\|_{L_\infty(R)} \left\| \hat{f} \varphi_k \right\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(X)} \\
&\times \left[ \int_{J_m} \left[ \frac{1+|t|}{4} \right]^{-N} \left[ (\gamma(t))^q (\tilde{\gamma}(t))^{p'} \right]^{\frac{1}{p'-q}} dt \right]^{\frac{1}{u}} \\
&\leq C \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} (2^{m-1})^{\frac{N}{u}} \left\| \hat{f} \varphi_k \right\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(X)} \\
&\leq C \sum_{k=m-1}^{m+1} 2^{ks} \left\| \hat{f} \varphi_k \right\|_{L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(X)}. \quad \blacksquare
\end{aligned}$$

**Corollary 2.6.** Let  $X$  be a Banach space with Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$ . If (2) holds for  $q = r = 1$  and  $r = q = p'$  then the Fourier transform defines bounded operators

$$F : B_{p,1,\gamma}^{N/p}(R^N, X) \rightarrow L_{1,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X) \quad (4)$$

$$F : B_{p,p',\gamma^{-1}}^0(R^N, X) \rightarrow L_{p',\gamma^{-1}}(R^N, X). \quad (5)$$

For a bounded measurable function  $m : R^N \rightarrow B(X, Y)$ , its corresponding Fourier multiplier operator  $T_m$  is defined as follows

$$T_m(f) = F^{-1}[m(\cdot)(Ff)(\cdot)].$$

In this section, we identify conditions on  $m$ , extending those of [10], that

$$\|T_0 f\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} \leq C \|f\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} \text{ for each } f \in S(X).$$

**Definition 2.7.** Let  $(E(R^N, Z), E^*(R^N, Z^*))$  be one of the following dual systems, where  $1 \leq q, r \leq \infty$  and  $s \in R$

$$(L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Z), L_{q',\tilde{\gamma}^{-1}}(Z^*)) \text{ or } (B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(Z), B_{q',r',\tilde{\gamma}^{-1}}^{-s}(R^N, Z^*)).$$

A bounded measurable function  $m : R^N \rightarrow B(X, Y)$  is called a Fourier multiplier from  $E(X)$  to  $E(Y)$  if there is a bounded linear operator

$$T_m : E(X) \rightarrow E(Y)$$

such that

$$T_m(f) = F^{-1}[m(\cdot)(Ff)(\cdot)] \text{ for each } f \in S(X), \quad (6)$$

$$T_m \text{ is } \sigma(E(X), E^*(X^*)) \text{ to } \sigma(E(Y), E^*(Y^*)) \text{ continuous.} \quad (7)$$

The uniquely determined operator  $T_m$  is the Fourier multiplier operator induced by  $m$ .

**Remark 2.8.** If  $T_m \in B(E(X), E(Y))$  and  $T_m^*$  maps  $E^*(Y^*)$  into  $E^*(X^*)$  then  $T_m$  satisfies the continuity condition (7).

**Lemma 2.9.** Suppose  $k \in L_{1, \tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, B(X, Y))$  and the weight function  $\tilde{\gamma}$  satisfies the following condition:

$$\sup_{t \in R^N} \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(t)}{\tilde{\gamma}(t-s)} \leq C_1 \tilde{\gamma}(s) \text{ for all } s \in R^N.$$

Assume there exist  $C_2$  so that

$$\|k(\cdot)x\|_{L_{1, \tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \leq C_2 \|x\|_X \text{ for all } x \in X \quad (8)$$

and  $C_3$  so that

$$\|k^*y^*\|_{L_{1, \tilde{\gamma}}(X^*)} \leq C_3 \|y^*\|_{Y^*} \text{ for all } y^* \in Y^*. \quad (9)$$

Then for  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$  the convolution operator

$$K : L_{q, \tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X) \rightarrow L_{q, \tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, Y)$$

defined by

$$(Kf)(t) = \int_{R^N} k(t-s)f(s)ds \text{ for } t \in R^N$$

satisfies  $\|K\|_{L_{q, \tilde{\gamma}} \rightarrow L_{q, \tilde{\gamma}}} \leq C_1 C_2^{1-\frac{1}{q}} C_3^{\frac{1}{q}}$ .

**Proof.** We shall prove this lemma in a similar manner as [10, Lemma 4.5], applying vector-valued Stein-Weiss interpolation theorem [16, §1.18.5] instead of [12, Theorem 5.1.2]. By using (8), we have the assertion for  $q = 1$ . Really

$$\begin{aligned} \|(Kf)(t)\|_{L_{1, \tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} &\leq \int_{R^N} \int_{R^N} \|k(t-s)f(s)\|_Y \tilde{\gamma}(t) dt ds \\ &\leq \int_{R^N} \left[ \int_{R^N} \|k(t-s)f(s)\|_Y \tilde{\gamma}(t-s) dt \right] \sup_{t \in R^N} \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(t)}{\tilde{\gamma}(t-s)} ds \\ &\leq C_1 C_2 \int_{R^N} \|f(s)\|_X \tilde{\gamma}(s) ds \leq C_1 C_2 \|f(s)\|_{L_{1, \tilde{\gamma}}(X)}. \end{aligned}$$

If  $f \in L_{\infty, \tilde{\gamma}}(Y)$ ,  $y^* \in Y^*$  and  $t \in R^N$  then  $\|K\|_{L_{\infty, \tilde{\gamma}} \rightarrow L_{\infty, \tilde{\gamma}}} \leq C_1 C_3$  :

$$\begin{aligned} | \langle y^*, (Kf)(t) \tilde{\gamma}(t) \rangle_Y | &\leq \int_{R^N} | \langle k(t-s)^* y^* \tilde{\gamma}(t), f(s) \rangle_X | ds \\ &\leq \int_{R^N} \|k(t-s)^* y^*\|_{X^*} \tilde{\gamma}(t-s) \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(t)}{\tilde{\gamma}(t-s)} \|f(s)\|_X ds \\ &\leq C_1 C_3 \|y^*\|_{Y^*} \|f\|_{L_{\infty, \tilde{\gamma}}(X)}. \end{aligned}$$

In view of [16, §1.18.5], we conclude that  $\|K\|_{L_{q, \tilde{\gamma}} \rightarrow L_{q, \tilde{\gamma}}} \leq C_1 C_2^{1-\frac{1}{q}} C_3^{\frac{1}{q}}$  for  $1 \leq q \leq \infty$ . ■

**Proposition 2.10.** Let  $E$  be a Banach space,  $1 \leq p < \infty$  and  $\gamma$  be a positive measurable function on an open subset  $\Omega$  of  $R^n$ , and essentially bounded on a compact subsets of  $\Omega$ . Then  $D(\Omega; E) \hookrightarrow L_{p, \gamma}(\Omega; E)$ .

**Proof.** For  $u \in L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)$  and  $n \in \mathbf{N}$  let  $u_n : \Omega \rightarrow E$  be such that

$$u_n = \begin{cases} u(x) & \text{if } \|u(x)\| \leq n \\ 0 & \text{if } \|u(x)\| > n. \end{cases}$$

By the dominated convergence theorem  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u - u_n\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)} = 0$ , hence a compactly supported function can be approximated by bounded compactly supported functions belonging to  $L_p(\Omega; E)$ . From the proof of the denseness theorem (classical case), it follows that if  $u$  is a compactly supported function belonging to  $L_p(\Omega; E)$  then there exists a compact subset  $K \subset \Omega$ , with  $\text{supp } u \subseteq K$ , and a sequence of functions  $u_n \in D(\Omega; E)$ , with  $\text{supp } u_n \subseteq K$ , such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u - u_n\|_{L_p(\Omega; E)} = 0$ ; since

$$\|u - u_n\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)} = \left( \int_K \|u(x) - u_n(x)\|^p \gamma(x) dx \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \left( \sup_{x \in K} \gamma(x) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \|u - u_n\|_{L_p(\Omega; E)}$$

we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|u - u_n\|_{L_{p,\gamma}(\Omega; E)} = 0$ . ■

**Condition 1.** Let  $p'$  be a dual pair of  $p$  (Fourier  $\gamma$ -type of a Banach spaces  $X$  and  $Y$ ). Suppose  $\gamma$  is measurable on each open subset  $\Omega \subset R^N$ , essentially bounded on each compact subset  $\Omega \subset R^N$  and for each  $t \in R^N$  :

$$(i) \sup_{t \in R^N} \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(t)}{\tilde{\gamma}(t-s)} \leq C \tilde{\gamma}(s) \text{ for all } s \in R^N; \quad (10)$$

$$(ii) \int_{\Omega} \left[ (\gamma(t))^{1-\frac{1}{p}} \tilde{\gamma}(t) \right]^p dt < \infty \text{ for each } \Omega \subset R^N, \text{ vol}(\Omega) < \infty.$$

**Example 1. (a.)** It is easy to see that exponential functions satisfy Condition 1.

**(b.)** As a second example we can give e.g. polynomials functions of the form  $(1 + |x|)^k$ .

In [18] author studied FMT in  $L_{p,\gamma}(R^N, l_p)$  for  $p \in (1, \infty)$ . Particularly, it was shown that choosing weight functions in the following form

$$(i) \gamma = |x|^\alpha, \quad -1 < \alpha < p-1,$$

$$(ii) \gamma = \prod_{k=1}^N \left( 1 + \sum_{j=1}^n |x_j|^{\alpha_{jk}} \right)^{\beta_k}, \quad \alpha_{jk} \geq 0, \quad N \in \mathbf{N}, \quad \beta_k \in R$$

it is possible to establish boundedness of Fourier multiplier operator.

**Theorem 2.13.** Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be Banach spaces with Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$ . Assume Condition 1 holds. Then there is a constant  $C$  depending only on  $F_{p,N}(X)$  and  $F_{p,N}(Y)$  so that if

$$m \in B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}(R^N, B(X, Y))$$

then  $m$  is a Fourier multiplier from  $L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)$  to  $L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, Y)$  with

$$\|T_m\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X) \rightarrow L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, Y)} \leq CM_p(m) \text{ for each } q \in [1, \infty] \quad (11)$$



where

$$M_{p,\gamma}(m) = \inf \left\{ \|m(a \cdot)\|_{B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}(R^N, B(X,Y))} : a > 0 \right\}.$$

**Proof.** The key points in this proof are the fact (4) and Lemma 2.9. As in the proof of [10, Theorem 4.3] we assume in addition that  $m \in S(B(X, Y))$ . Hence,  $\tilde{m} \in S(B(X, Y))$ . Since,  $F^{-1}[m(a \cdot)x](s) = a^{-N} \tilde{m}(\frac{s}{a})x$  choosing an appropriate  $a$  and using (1) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|\tilde{m}(\cdot)x\|_{L_{1,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} &= \|[m(a \cdot)x]^\vee\|_{L_{1,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \\ &\leq C_1 \|m(a \cdot)\|_{B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}} \|x\|_X \leq 2C_1 M_{p,\gamma}(m) \|x\|_X \end{aligned}$$

where  $C_1$  depends only on  $F_{p,N}(Y)$ . If  $m \in S(B(X, Y))$  then  $[m(\cdot)^*]^\vee = [\tilde{m}(\cdot)]^* \in S(B(Y^*, X^*))$  and  $M_{p,\gamma}(m) = M_{p,\gamma}(m^*)$ . Thus, in a similar manner as above, we have

$$\|[\tilde{m}(\cdot)]^* y^*\|_{L_{1,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \leq 2C_2 M_{p,\gamma}(m) \|y^*\|_{Y^*}$$

for some constant  $C_2$  depends on  $F_{p,N}(X^*)$ . Since, we have

$$\|\tilde{m}(\cdot)x\|_{L_{1,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \leq 2C_1 M_{p,\gamma}(m) \|x\|_X$$

and

$$\|[\tilde{m}(\cdot)]^* y^*\|_{L_{1,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \leq 2C_2 M_{p,\gamma}(m) \|y^*\|_{Y^*}$$

by Lemma 2.9 we can conclude

$$(T_m f)(t) = \int_{R^N} \tilde{m}(t-s) f(s) ds$$

satisfies

$$\|T_m f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, Y)} \leq C M_{p,\gamma}(m) \|f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)}.$$

Now, taking into account the fact that  $S \hookrightarrow B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}$  and using the same reasoning as in the proof of [10, Theorem 4.3] one can easily prove for the general case  $m \in B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}$  and that  $T_m$  satisfies (7). ■

**Theorem 2.14.** Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be Banach spaces with Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$ . Assume Condition 1 holds. Then there exist a constant  $C$  depending only on  $F_{p,N}(X)$  and  $F_{p,N}(Y)$  so that if  $m : R^N \rightarrow B(X, Y)$  satisfy

$$\varphi_k \cdot m \in B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}(R^N, B(X, Y)) \text{ and } M_{p,\gamma}(\varphi_k \cdot m) \leq A \quad (12)$$

then  $m$  is Fourier multiplier from  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, X)$  to  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, Y)$  and  $\|T_m\| \leq CA$  for each  $s \in R$  and  $r \in [1, \infty]$ .

**Proof.** By using Theorem 2.13 we shall prove this theorem in a similar manner as [10, Theorem 4.8]. Really, since  $\varphi_k \cdot m \in B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}(R^N, B(X, Y))$ , Theorem 2.13 ensures that

$$\|T_m \varphi_k f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, Y)} \leq C M_p(\varphi_k \cdot m) \|f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)} \leq CA \|f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)}.$$

In the introduction we defined function  $\psi_k = \varphi_{k-1} + \varphi_k + \varphi_{k+1}$  that is equal to 1 on  $\text{supp}\varphi_k$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \|T_{m\psi_k} f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} &\leq \|T_{m\varphi_{k-1}} f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \\ + \|T_{m\varphi_k} f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} &+ \|T_{m\varphi_{k+1}} f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \\ &\leq 3CA \|f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $T_0 : S(X) \rightarrow S'(Y)$  be defined as

$$T_0 f = F^{-1} [m(\cdot) (Ff) (\cdot)].$$

From the proof of [10, Theorem 4.3] we know that

$$\check{\varphi}_k * T_0 f = T_{m\psi_k} (\check{\varphi}_k * f).$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \|\check{\varphi}_k * T_0 f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} &= \|T_{m\psi_k} (\check{\varphi}_k * f)\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)} \\ &\leq 3CA \|f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2^{ksr} \|\check{\varphi}_k * T_0 f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(Y)}^r \leq 3CA \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2^{ksr} \|f\|_{L_{q,\tilde{\gamma}}(R^N, X)}^r.$$

Hence, we obtain

$$\|T_0 f\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, Y)} \leq 3CA \|f\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, X)}$$

for  $1 \leq q < \infty$ . If  $q, r < \infty$  then  $\dot{B}_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s = B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s$ . Therefore, it remains to show the cases  $q = \infty$  and  $r = \infty$  and the weak continuity condition (7). The case  $r = \infty$  and the weak continuity condition (7) can be proved in a similar manner as [10, Theorem 4.3]. ■

In the next section, we apply Theorem 2.14 to degenerate DOEs. However, checking assumptions of the theorem for multiplier functions is not practical. Therefore, we prove a lemma that makes Theorem 2.14 more applicable.

**Lemma 2.15.** Let  $\frac{N}{p} < l \in N$ ,  $u \in [p, \infty]$  and

$$\text{where } \frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{u} + \frac{1}{\tilde{u}}. \quad (13)$$

Moreover, suppose  $X$  and  $Y$  are Banach spaces having Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$  and Condition 1 holds. If  $m \in C^l(R^N, B(X, Y))$  satisfies the following

$$\|\gamma^{\frac{1}{p}}(\cdot) D^\alpha m(\cdot)|_{I_0}\|_{L_u(B(X, Y))} \leq A, \quad \|\gamma^{\frac{1}{p}}(\cdot) D^\alpha m(2^{k-1}\cdot)|_{I_1}\|_{L_u(B(X, Y))} \leq A$$

for each  $\alpha \in N_0^N$ ,  $|\alpha| \leq l$ , then  $m$  satisfies conditions of Theorem 2.14.

**Proof.** By using the fact that  $W_{p,\gamma}^l(R^N, B(X, Y)) \subset B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}(R^N, B(X, Y))$  for  $\frac{N}{p} < l$  and applying Holder's inequality we get desired result

$$\begin{aligned} M_{p,\gamma}(\varphi_0 \cdot m) &\leq K \|\varphi_0 m\|_{W_{p,\gamma}^l} \leq K \sum_{|\alpha| \leq l} \sum_{\beta \leq \alpha} \left\| \binom{\alpha}{\beta} D^\beta \varphi_0 \left( \gamma^{\frac{1}{p}} D^{\alpha-\beta} m \right) \right\|_{L_p} \\ &\leq K \sum_{|\alpha| \leq l} \sum_{\beta \leq \alpha} \binom{\alpha}{\beta} \|D^\beta \varphi_0\|_{L_{\tilde{u}}(R^N)} \cdot \sum_{|\alpha| \leq l} \sum_{\beta \leq \alpha} \left\| \gamma^{\frac{1}{p}} D^\alpha m|_{I_0} \right\|_{L_u} \\ &\leq K A C_{\varphi_0} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} M_{p,\gamma}(\varphi_k \cdot m) &\leq \|\varphi_k(2^{k-1} \cdot) m(2^{k-1} \cdot)\|_{B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}} = \|\varphi_1(\cdot) m(2^{k-1} \cdot)\|_{B_{p,1,\gamma}^{\frac{N}{p}}} \\ &\leq K \|\varphi_1(\cdot) m(2^{k-1} \cdot)\|_{W_{p,\gamma}^l} \leq K A C_{\varphi_1}. \end{aligned}$$

■

We close this section with two very important corollaries that provide different sufficient conditions for  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s$ -regularity of (6). As a matter of fact these conditions are slightly modified versions of Hörmander and Mihlin conditions.

**Corollary 2.16.** (FMT via Hörmander condition) Suppose  $X$  and  $Y$  have Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$  and Condition 1 holds. If  $m \in C^l(R^N, B(X, Y))$  satisfies

$$\left[ \int_{|t| \leq 2} \|D^\alpha m(t)\|^p \gamma(t) dt \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq A$$

and

$$\left[ R^{-N} \int_{R \leq |t| \leq 4R} \|D^\alpha m(t)\|^p \gamma(t) dt \right]^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq A R^{-|\alpha|}$$

for each multi-index  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \leq \left\lceil \frac{N}{p} \right\rceil + 1$  then  $m$  is Fourier multiplier from  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, X)$  to  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, Y)$  for each  $s \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $r \in [1, \infty]$ .

**Proof.** Choosing  $u = p$  in the Lemma 2.15 we get assertions of corollary. ■

**Corollary 2.17.** (FMT via Mihlin condition) Assume  $X$  and  $Y$  are Banach spaces with Fourier  $\gamma$ -type  $p \in [1, 2]$  and Condition 1 holds. If  $m \in C^l(R^N, B(X, Y))$  satisfies

$$\left\| \gamma^{\frac{1}{p}}(t) (1 + |t|)^{|\alpha|} D^\alpha m(t) \right\|_{L_\infty(R^N, B(X, Y))} \leq A$$

for each multi-index  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \leq l = \left\lceil \frac{N}{p} \right\rceil + 1$ , then  $m$  is Fourier multiplier from  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, X)$  to  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, Y)$  for each  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $r, q \in [1, \infty]$ .

**Proof.** Choosing  $u = \infty$  in the Lemma 2.15 one can prove this result in a similar way as [10, Corollary 4.11]. ■

The following result is a special case of Corollary 2.17. Choosing  $\gamma = 1$  we obtain a sufficient condition for the multipliers of weighted Besov spaces.

**Corollary 2.18.** Assume  $X$  and  $Y$  are Banach spaces with Fourier type  $p$  and

$$(i) \sup_{t \in R^N} \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(t)}{\tilde{\gamma}(t-s)} \leq C\tilde{\gamma}(s) \text{ for all } s \in R^N$$

$$(ii) \int_{\Omega} [\tilde{\gamma}(t)]^p dt < \infty \text{ for each } \Omega \subset R^N, \text{ vol}(\Omega) < \infty.$$

If  $m \in C^l(R^N, B(X, Y))$  satisfies

$$\left\| (1 + |t|)^{|\alpha|} D^\alpha m(t) \right\|_{L^\infty(R^N, B(X, Y))} \leq A$$

for each multi-index  $\alpha$  with  $|\alpha| \leq l = \left\lceil \frac{N}{p} \right\rceil + 1$ , then  $m$  is Fourier multiplier from  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, X)$  to  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R^N, Y)$  for each  $s \in R$ ,  $r, q \in [1, \infty]$ .

### 3. DIFFERENTIAL EMBEDDINGS

In the present section, by using Corollary 2.18 we shall prove continuity of the following embedding

$$D^\alpha : B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N; E(A), E) \subset B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E).$$

In the next section we will apply above result to non degenerate elliptic equations.

**Condition 2.** Assume a positive weight function  $\gamma$  satisfies the following:

$$(i) \sup_{t \in R^N} \frac{\gamma(t)}{\gamma(t-s)} \leq C\gamma(s) \text{ for all } s \in R$$

$$(ii) \int_{\Omega} [\gamma(t)]^p dt < \infty \text{ for each } \Omega \subset R, \text{ vol}(\Omega) < \infty.$$

**Theorem 3.1.** Suppose Condition 2 holds and  $0 < h \leq h_0 < \infty$ . Let  $E$  be a Banach space with Fourier type  $p$  and  $A$  be a  $\varphi$ -positive operator in  $E$ , where  $\varphi \in (0, \pi]$ . If  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_N)$ ,  $x = \frac{|\alpha|}{l} \leq 1$  and  $0 < \mu \leq 1 - x$  then the following embedding

$$D^\alpha : B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N; E(A), E) \subset B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E(A^{1-x-\mu}))$$

is continuous and there exists a positive constant  $C$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|D^\alpha u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E(A^{1-x-\mu}))} \\ & \leq C_\mu \left[ h^\mu \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N; E(A), E)} + h^{-(1-\mu)} \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E)} \right] \end{aligned}$$

for all  $u \in B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N; E(A), E)$ .

**Proof.** Since  $A$  is constant and closed operator, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|D^\alpha u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E(A^{1-x-\mu}))} &= \|A^{1-x-\mu} D^\alpha u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E)} \\ &\sim \|F^{-1} (i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} F u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E)}. \end{aligned}$$

(The symbol  $\sim$  indicates norm equivalency). In a similar manner, from definition of  $B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N; E_0, E)$  we have

$$\|u\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N; E_0, E)} \sim \|Au\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N; E)} + \sum_{k=1}^N \left\| F^{-1} \xi_k^l \hat{u} \right\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s}.$$

By virtue of above relations, it is sufficient to prove

$$\begin{aligned} & \|F^{-1} [(i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} \hat{u}]\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \\ & \leq C \left[ \|F^{-1} A \hat{u}\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} + \sum_{k=1}^N \|F^{-1} (\xi_k^l \hat{u})\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the inequality (17) will be followed if we can prove the following estimate

$$\|F^{-1} [(i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} \hat{u}]\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \leq C \|F^{-1} ([A + I\theta] \hat{u})\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \quad (14)$$

for all  $u \in B_{q,r,\gamma}^{l,s}(R^N;E(A),E)$ , where

$$\theta = \theta(\xi) = \sum_{k=1}^N |\xi_k|^l \in S(\varphi).$$

Let us express the left hand side of (18) as follows

$$\begin{aligned} & \|F^{-1} [(i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} \hat{u}]\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \\ & = \|F^{-1} (i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} [(A + I\theta)^{-1} [(A + I\theta)] \hat{u}]\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \end{aligned}$$

(Since  $A$  is the positive operator in  $E$  and  $\theta(\xi) \in S(\varphi)$ ,  $[(A + I\theta)^{-1}]$  exists). From Corollary 2.18 we know that

$$\begin{aligned} & \|F^{-1} (i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} [(A + I\theta)^{-1} [(A + I\theta)] \hat{u}]\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \leq \\ & C \|F^{-1} [(A + I\theta) \hat{u}]\|_{B_{q,r,\gamma}^s(R^N;E)} \end{aligned}$$

holds if operator-function  $\Psi(\xi) = (i\xi)^\alpha A^{1-x-\mu} (A + \theta)^{-1}$  satisfies Mikhlín's condition for each multi-index  $\beta$ ,  $|\beta| \leq \left\lceil \frac{N}{p} \right\rceil + 1$ . It is clear that

$$\|(1 + |\xi|)^{|\beta|} D^\beta \Psi(\xi)\|_{L_\infty(B(E))} \leq \sum_{k=0}^{|\beta|} \| |\xi|^k D^\beta \Psi(\xi) \|_{L_\infty(B(E))}$$

Therefore, it is enough to show

$$\| |\xi|^k D^\beta \Psi(\xi) \|_{L_\infty(B(E))} \leq C$$

for  $k = 0, 1, \dots, |\beta|$  and  $|\beta| \leq \left\lceil \frac{N}{p} \right\rceil + 1$ . It is proven in [14] that  $\Psi$  satisfies Mikhlín's condition. Hence proof is completed. ■

#### 4. DEGENERATE DIFFERENTIAL-OPERATOR EQUATIONS

In this section we study degenerate elliptic DOE

$$(L + \lambda)u = - \left( \gamma(t) \frac{d}{dt} \right)^2 u + A_1(t) \left( \gamma(t) \frac{d}{dt} \right) u + A_\lambda u = f \quad (15)$$

in  $B_{q,r}^s(R;E)$ , where  $A_\lambda = A + \lambda I$  and  $A_1(x)$  are possible unbounded operators in a Banach space  $E$ . Let  $E$  and  $E_0$  be Banach spaces such that  $E_0$  is continuously

and densely embedded in  $E$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} B_{p,q}^{[l],s}(R; E_0, E) &= \left\{ u : u \in B_{p,q}^s(R; E_0), D^{[l]}u \in B_{p,q}^s(R; E) \right\}, \\ \|u\|_{B_{p,q}^{[l],s}(R; E_0, E)} &= \|u\|_{B_{p,q}^s(R; E_0)} + \|D^{[l]}u\|_{B_{p,q}^s(R; E)} < \infty \end{aligned}$$

denotes the Besov-Lions spaces where

$$D^{[i]} = \left( \gamma(t) \frac{d}{dt} \right)^i.$$

**Remark 4.1.** It is clear that under a substitution

$$\tau = \int_0^t \gamma^{-1}(y) dy \quad (16)$$

spaces  $B_{q,r}^s(R; E)$  and  $B_{q,r}^{[2],s}(R; E(A), E)$ , map isomorphically onto the weighted spaces  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)$  and  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)$  respectively, where  $\tilde{\gamma} = \tilde{\gamma}(\tau) = \gamma(t(\tau))$ . Note that, (16) transforms degenerate problem (15) in  $B_{q,r}^s(R; E)$  to the following non-degenerate problem

$$(L + \lambda)u = -u'' + A_1(t)u' + A_\lambda u = f \quad (17)$$

in  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)$ .

**Theorem 4.2.** Assume  $\tilde{\gamma}$  satisfies the Condition 2. Let  $E$  be a Banach space with Fourier type  $p$ ,  $A$  be a  $\varphi$ -positive operator in  $E$  for  $\varphi \in [0, \pi)$  and

$$A_1(\cdot)A^{-(\frac{1}{2}-\mu)} \in L_\infty(R, B(E)), \quad 0 < \mu < \frac{1}{2}.$$

Then for all  $f \in B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)$ ,  $r, q \in [1, \infty]$  and sufficiently large  $\lambda \in S(\varphi)$  (17) has a unique solution  $u \in B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)$  satisfying coercive estimate

$$\|u''\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} + \|A_1 u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} + \|A u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} \leq C \|f\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)}. \quad (18)$$

**Proof.** We first show maximal regularity result for the principal part of (17) i.e.

$$(L_0 + \lambda)u = -u'' + A_\lambda u = f.$$

By applying the Fourier transform, we obtain

$$(A + \xi^2 + \lambda)u^\wedge(\xi) = f^\wedge(\xi).$$

Since  $\xi^2 + \lambda \in S(\varphi)$  for all  $\xi \in R$  and  $A$  is a positive operator, solutions are of the form

$$u(x) = F^{-1}[A + \xi^2 + \lambda]^{-1} f^\wedge. \quad (19)$$

By using (19), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \|A u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} &= \|F^{-1} A (A + \xi^2 + \lambda)^{-1} f^\wedge\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} \\ \|u''\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} &= \|F^{-1} [\xi^2 (A + \xi^2 + \lambda)^{-1} f^\wedge]\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, it suffices to show that operator-function

$$\sigma(\xi) = \xi^2 (A + \xi^2 + \lambda)^{-1},$$

is uniformly bounded multiplier in  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)$ . Since  $\sigma \in C^2(R, B(E))$  and

$$(1 + |\xi|)^k D^k \sigma(\xi) \in L_\infty(R, B(E))$$

for each  $k = 0, 1, 2$ , Corollary 2.18 guarantees us that  $\sigma$  is a uniformly bounded Fourier multiplier in  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)$ . Thus we obtain

$$\|L_0 u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} \leq \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)} \leq C \|(L_0 + \lambda)u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)}. \quad (20)$$

The above estimate implies that  $L_0 + \lambda$  has a bounded inverse acting from  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)$  into  $B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)$ . Next we try to estimate lower order term  $L_1 u(t) = A_1(t) u'(t)$ . In fact, the Theorem 3.1 ensures that for all  $u \in B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \|L_1 u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} &\leq \|A_1(t) A^{-(\frac{1}{2}-\mu)}\|_{L_\infty} \|A^{\frac{1}{2}-\mu} u'(t)\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} \\ &\leq C_0 C_\mu \left[ h^\mu \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)} + h^{-(1-\mu)} \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

It is also clear that

$$\begin{aligned} \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} &= \frac{1}{\lambda} \|(L_0 + \lambda)u - L_0 u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\lambda} \left[ \|(L_0 + \lambda)u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} + \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)} \right], \end{aligned}$$

which in its turn implies the following estimate

$$\begin{aligned} \|L_1 u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} &\leq C_1 \left[ (h^\mu + h^{-(1-\mu)} \frac{1}{\lambda}) \|u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + h^{-(1-\mu)} \frac{1}{\lambda} \|(L_0 + \lambda)u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} \right] \\ &\leq C_1 \left[ (h^\mu + h^{-(1-\mu)} \frac{1}{\lambda}) C \|(L_0 + \lambda)u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + h^{-(1-\mu)} \frac{1}{\lambda} \|(L_0 + \lambda)u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s} \right] \leq \|(L_0 + \lambda)u\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} \\ &\quad \times \left[ C C_1 h^\mu + C_1 (C + 1) h^{-(1-\mu)} \frac{1}{\lambda} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

Therefore choosing  $h$  and  $\lambda$  so that

$$C C_1 h^\mu < 1 \text{ and } C_1 (C + 1) |\lambda|^{-1} h^{-(1-\mu)} < 1$$

we obtain

$$\left\| L_1 (L_0 + \lambda)^{-1} \right\|_{B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E)} < 1. \quad (22)$$

In view of (20), (22) and the perturbation theory of linear operators, we conclude that  $L + \lambda = (L_0 + \lambda) + L_1$  is invertible and its inverse is continuous i.e.

$$(L + \lambda)^{-1} = (L_0 + \lambda)^{-1} \left[ I + L_1 (L_0 + \lambda)^{-1} \right]^{-1} : B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^s(R; E) \rightarrow B_{q,r,\tilde{\gamma}}^{2,s}(R; E(A), E).$$

Moreover, combining the estimates (20) and (21) we get (18). Hence proof is completed. ■

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